

# Shepherd

UNIVERSITY

grab a pizza at  
Tony's with friends

every day

study  
preservation of  
Civil War  
battlefields

design a program  
for at-risk youth  
in social work  
methods class

work out in Sara Cree  
fitness center

# Find your place.



Shepherd University students feel right at home—*every day*—no matter where they come from. We think it's because of our great location overlooking the Potomac River, at the junction of three states. We're surrounded by quiet country roads and rolling hills. Yet we're surprisingly close to Baltimore and Washington, D.C.

perform a  
viability cell count  
in biology lab

attend  
Appalachian  
Writer-in-  
Residence  
workshops

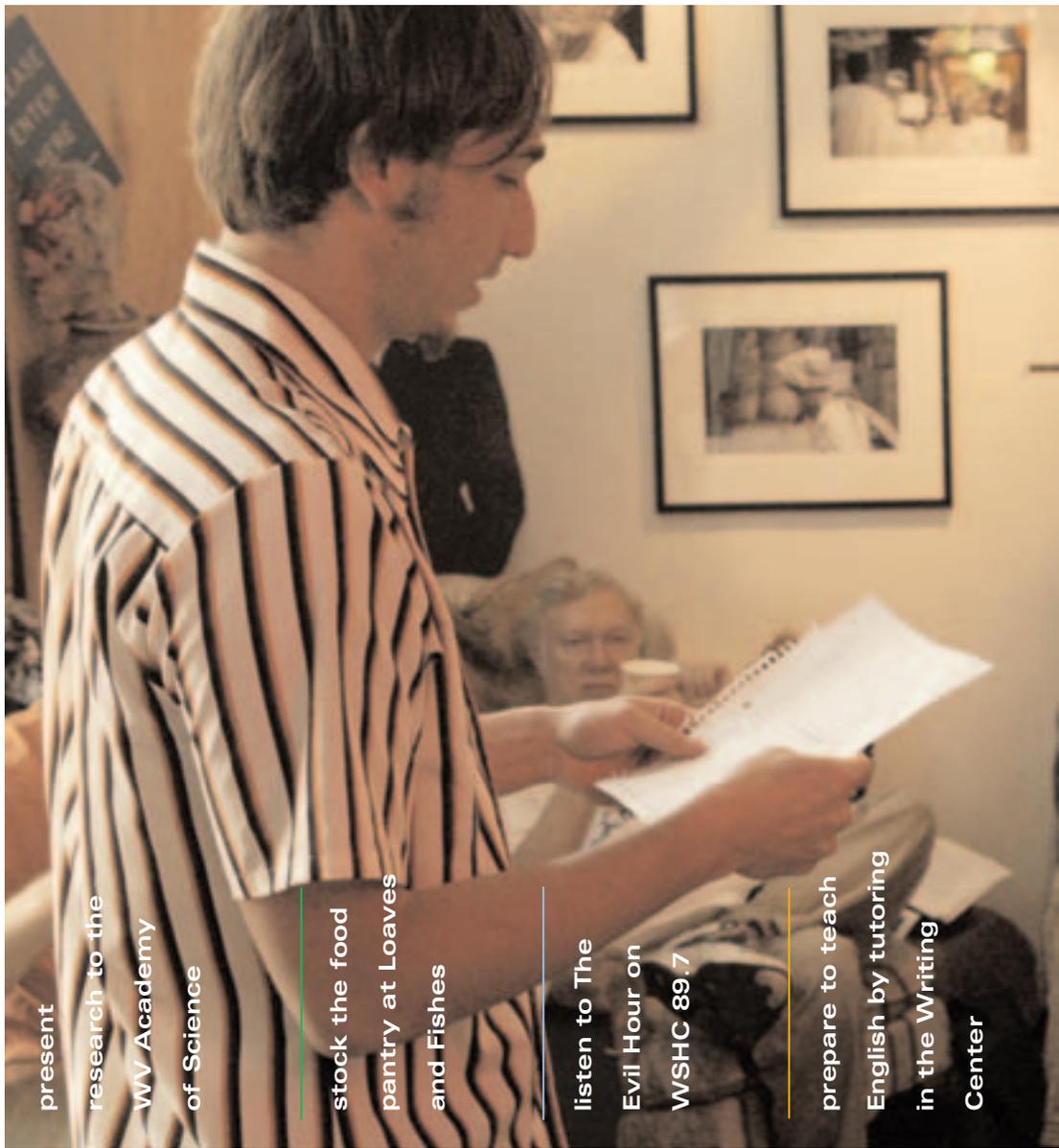
join a LAN  
party in  
Kenamond Hall

learn economic  
theory through  
case study  
discussions



## Go places.

Shepherd University is more than a spot on the map—it's a gateway to opportunity. Every day, Shepherd students do amazing things in the nation's capital and right here at home. In Washington, D.C., they visit the Smithsonian, attend readings by Poet Laureate Ted Kooser, work as interns on Capitol Hill, or catch a performance at the Kennedy Center. There's also plenty of local flavor. Shepherd students enjoy the tranquility and natural beauty of our surroundings and the many offbeat shops and eateries near campus.



present  
research to the  
WV Academy  
of Science

stock the food  
pantry at Loaves  
and Fishes

listen to The  
Evil Hour on  
WSHC 89.7

prepare to teach  
English by tutoring  
in the Writing  
Center



## Discover more.

The Shepherd faculty—all experts and scholars—take the time to teach you well. Your professors are real people who talk with you—every day—and make it easy for you to talk with them. They know your name and what matters to you. They spur you on to be your best. Help you find your strengths. Show you where you need to work harder. They broaden your horizons by teaching new and exciting subjects. They encourage study abroad, and offer ways to learn through community service.

*“Even though I’m a math major, I’m trying out classes left and right to get a feel for them. I’m learning things I never imagined. That’s what college is supposed to do for you.”*

play two-hand  
co-ed touch  
football behind  
Butcher

build a Habitat  
for Humanity  
house in South  
Carolina

hold community  
basketball clinics in  
Butcher Center

design the  
Shepherdstown  
Library Web site



## Stay unique.

The members of this vibrant academic community come from rural areas, small towns, and metropolitan areas. We represent diverse backgrounds. We are artists, musicians, and athletes. We are scholars, pre-professionals, and activists. We all feel welcomed here. Every day we value—and learn from—our differences.



## Stretch your brain.

Faculty also bring academic excellence to Shepherd in areas ranging from art to education, and from music to sociology. In all of our 75-plus fields of study, you'll be amazed at how much you learn by *doing* something. Yes, there are basics to cover. Reading assignments and papers to write. But we're convinced we learn best by getting our hands on meaningful, real-world work, in and out of class. *Every day.*

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explore the  
International  
Piano Archives  
on a class trip

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paint on the  
lawn behind  
Knutti Hall

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head to Fairfax  
Field for Rams  
baseball opening  
day

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read your poetry  
aloud at The  
Lost Dog Cafe



## Be surprised.

Shepherd has the feel of a private college: academic quality, small classes, and a close-knit community. *Yet we're a public university.* So we get to enjoy the everyday opportunities, resources, and variety that a university offers. All at the cost of a public institution.

# Have choices.

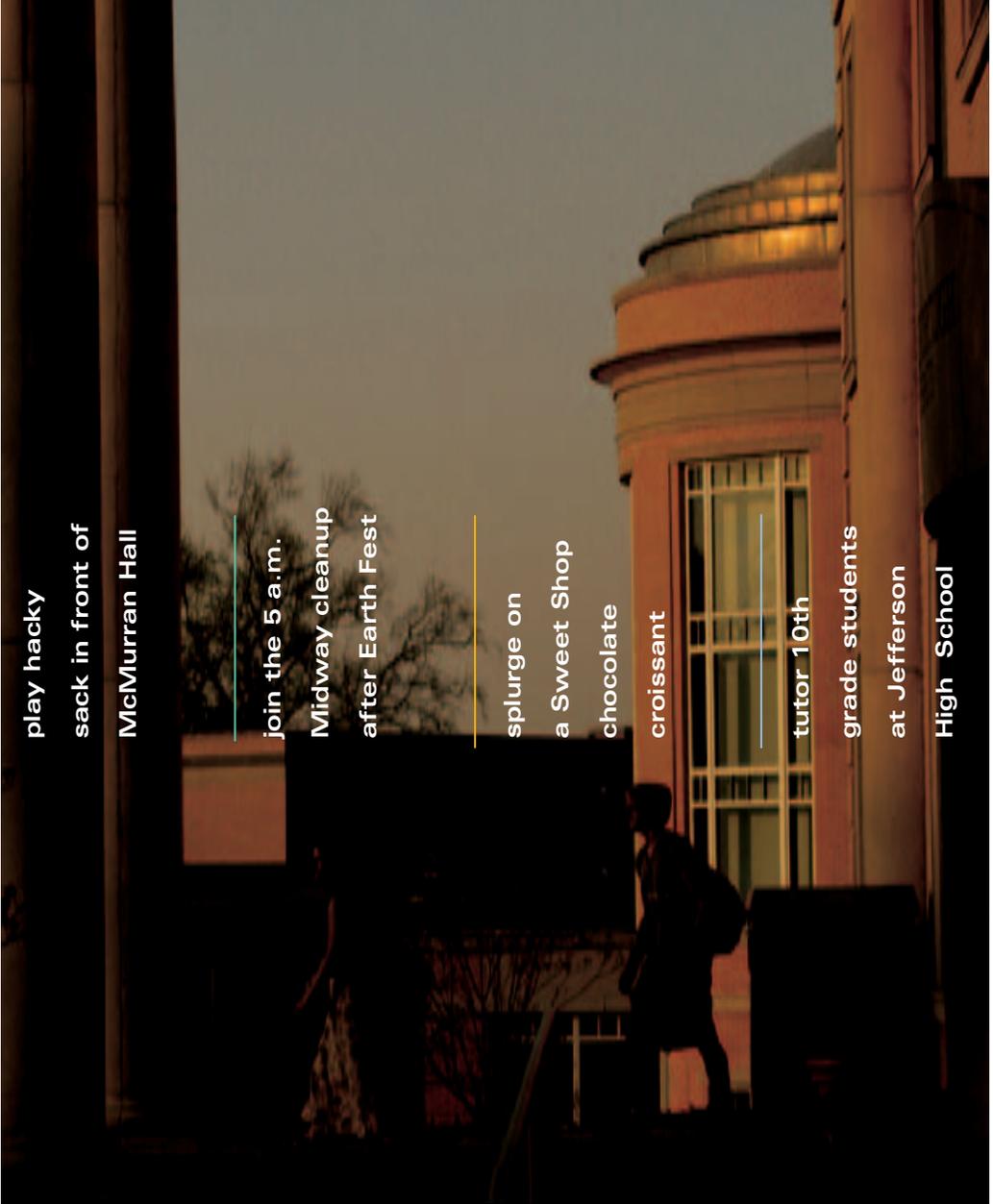
Shepherd University isn't just a home base—it's *home*. Every day, students find their niche in campus organizations, athletics, political action, and volunteer activities. In the evening there's always something going on. Performances by comedians, actors, musicians, and dancers. Discussions on current political and social issues. Foreign films. Festivals. So many choices, *every day*.

play hacky  
sack in front of  
McMurrin Hall

join the 5 a.m.  
Midway cleanup  
after Earth Fest

splurge on  
a Sweet Shop  
chocolate

croissant  
tutor 10th  
grade students  
at Jefferson  
High School



# Undergraduate Programs of Study

Accounting \* (B.S.)  
 Anthropology/Geography (minor only)  
 Art \* (B.F.A.)  
   Graphic Design Concentration \*  
   Painting Concentration  
   Photography/Computer Imagery Concentration \*  
   Printmaking Concentration  
   Sculpture Concentration  
 Biology \* (B.S.)  
 Business Administration \* (B.S.)  
   General Business  
   Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management Concentration  
   Finance Concentration  
   Human Resources Management Concentration  
   Management Concentration  
   Marketing Concentration  
 Chemistry \* (B.S.)  
   Biochemistry Concentration  
   Environmental Chemistry Concentration  
   Traditional Concentration  
 Coaching (minor only)  
 Computer and Information Sciences \* (B.S.)  
   Computer Programming and Information Systems Concentration  
   Computer Science Concentration  
   Networking and Data Communications Concentration  
 Economics \* (B.S.)  
 Education (minor only)  
 Elementary Education  
   K-6 Multi Subjects  
   Pre-K-6  
 Engineering (minor only)  
 English \* (B.A.)  
 Environmental Studies \* (B.S.)  
   Aquatic Science Concentration  
   Environmental Engineering Concentration  
   Environmental Science Concentration  
   Historic Preservation Concentration \*  
   Resource Management Concentration  
 Family and Consumer Sciences \* (B.S.)  
   Child Development Emphasis (minor only)  
   Fashion Emphasis (minor only)  
 French (minor only)  
 History \* (B.A.)  
   Civil War and 19th-Century America Concentration  
   Public History Concentration  
   Traditional Concentration



Journalism (minor only)  
 Mass Communication \* (B.A. or B.S.)  
 Mathematics \* (B.S.)  
   Industrial Mathematics Concentration  
   Traditional Mathematics Concentration  
 Music \* (B.A.)  
   Composition Concentration  
   Guitar Performance Concentration  
   Musical Theater Performance Concentration  
   Orchestral Instrument Performance Concentration  
   Piano Performance Concentration  
   Voice Performance Concentration  
   Piano Pedagogy Concentration  
 Nursing (B.S.N.)  
 Physics (minor only)  
 Political Science \* (B.S.)  
 Pre-Professional  
   Pre-Dentistry  
   Pre-Medicine  
   Pre-Veterinary Medicine  
   Pre-Law  
 Psychology \* (B.A.)  
 Recreation and Leisure Studies \* (B.S.)  
   Athletic Coaching and Officiating Concentration  
   Commercial Recreation/Tourism Concentration  
   Fitness/Exercise Science Concentration  
   Sport Communication Concentration  
   Sport and Event Management Concentration  
   Therapeutic Recreation Concentration

Regents Bachelor of Arts Degree (R.B.A.)  
 Science, General (minor only)  
 Secondary Education (B.A.)  
   Art (grades K-12)  
   Biology (grades 9-12)  
   Chemistry (grades 9-12)  
   English (grades 5-Adult)  
   Family and Consumer Science (grades 5-12)  
   General Science (grades 5-12)  
   Health (grades 5-12)  
   Mathematics (grades 5-12 or grades 5-9)  
   Music (grades K-12)(B.M.E.)  
   Physical Education (grades K-12)  
   Social Studies (grades 5-12 or grades 5-9)  
 Social Work (B.S.W.)  
 Sociology \* (B.S.)  
   Criminal Justice Concentration  
   Traditional Concentration  
 Spanish (minor only)  
 Technical Communication (minor only)  
 Theater (minor only)  
 Women's Studies (minor only)

*\* also available as a minor*

## Degree Code

B.A.	Bachelor of Arts
B.S.	Bachelor of Science
B.F.A.	Bachelor of Fine Arts
B.M.E.	Bachelor of Music Education
B.S.N.	Bachelor of Nursing
B.S.W.	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
R.B.A.	Regents Bachelor of Arts

# Shepherd University

## At a Glance

**TYPE OF UNIVERSITY** Coeducational, state-supported, four-year university with a strong liberal arts emphasis. Admission is competitive.

**HISTORY** Established in 1871 as a private college. Designated a state-supported teacher's college in 1872. Began granting four-year degrees in 1930. Shepherd College officially became Shepherd University in April 2004.

**DEGREES OFFERED** Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Fine Arts, Bachelor of Music Education, Regents Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Bachelor of Social Work, Master of Arts in Curriculum and Instruction.

**ENROLLMENT** 3,700 students. Student-to-faculty ratio: 20 to 1.

**CLASS SIZE** On average, 20 to 25 students.

**ACADEMIC YEAR** Two semesters and two five-week summer sessions.

**ACTIVITIES** Students choose from dozens of campus organizations, including fraternities and sororities, special-interest clubs, professional organizations, honor societies, music groups, intramural and club sports, and student government. Popular weekend events include coffeehouses, open-mic talent shows, movies, deejay dances, and performances by visiting comics and musical artists.

**ATHLETIC CONFERENCES** Shepherd participates in the West Virginia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (WVIAC) and is a member of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division II.

**INTERCOLLEGIATE SPORTS** Men's teams compete in football, basketball, baseball, golf, tennis, and soccer. Women's teams compete in basketball, soccer, tennis, volleyball, and softball. Lacrosse is an NCLC club program for men and for women.

**TUITION AND FEES, 2004-2005** (yearly)  
\$4,046 for residents of West Virginia; \$10,618 for students from other states.

**ROOM AND BOARD, 2004-2005** (yearly)  
\$6,020 (higher for upper-level students living in the suite-style residence halls).

**FINANCIAL AID** Scholarships, loans, grants, and work-study programs are awarded based on need, academic achievement, and special skills.

**CAMPUS** Situated on 323 acres in historic Shepherdstown, West Virginia. Convenient to the cultural and educational resources of Washington, D.C., and Baltimore, Maryland, and the natural resources of the Shenandoah Valley.



## Come visit us.

*We hope you'll plan a visit to Shepherd University soon. Walk around. Talk to students and professors. Sit in on a class or two. Visit a dorm. Ask lots of questions. We look forward to seeing you soon.*

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Excellence in Motion

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